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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	250.00
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Complete if Known

Application Number	10/600,540
Filing Date	June 23, 2003
First Named Inventor	SHAATH
Examiner Name	Nguyen
Art Unit	5766
Attorney Docket No.	38898-190334

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order
 Deposit Account None

Deposit
Account
Number

22-0261

Deposit
Account
Name

Venable LLP

The Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

- Charge fee(s) indicated below
 Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee
 Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
 Credit any overpayments

to the above-identified deposit account.

Other (please identify): _____

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20	50	25
Each independent claim over 3	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
For Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
For Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100

Total Claims	- 20 =	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
30		10	x 25	= 250.00

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	
3	- 3 =	0	x 100	= 0.00

Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Subtotal (2) \$ 250.00

3. OTHER FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Paid
1-month extension of time	120	60	
2-month extension of time	450	225	
3-month extension of time	1020	510	
4-month extension of time	1,590	795	
5-month extension of time	2,160	1,080	
Information disclosure stmt. fee	180	180	
37 CFR 1.17(q) processing fee	50	50	
Non-English specification	130	130	
Notice of Appeal	500	250	
Filing a brief in support of appeal	500	250	
Request for oral hearing	1,000	500	

Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

Subtotal (3) \$ 0

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Shaath et al.

Application No.: 10/600,540

Confirmation No.: 5766

Filed: June 23, 2003

Art Unit: 2187

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING
RESTRICTED ACCESS TO A STORAGE
MEDIUM

Examiner: Hiep T. Nguyen

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.